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SUBJECT:MESSAGES FROM ASSISTANT SECRETARY PARSKY TO
MINISTERABA AL-KHAIL AND DEPUTY MINISTER SOLIMAN SOLAIM

1. PLEASE PASS FOLLOWING MESSAGE TO MINISTER ABA AL-KHAIL
FROM TREASURY ASSISTANT SECRETARY PARSKY.

2. DEAR MR. MINISTER: I WAS DEEPLY SHOCKED TO LEARN THE
SAD NEWS OF YOUR KING'S UNTIMELY DEATH. FOR MYSELF
PERSONALLY AND ON BEHALF OF ALL MY COLLEAGUES MAY I
EXPRESS MY SINCEREST CONDOLENCES. OUR RESOLVE TO CONTINUE
THE GOOD WORK WE HAVE UNDERTAKEN BETWEEN OUR TWO COUNTRIES
IS STRENGTHENED BY THE CERTAINTY THAT HIS MAJESTY WOULD
HAVE WANTED US TO PRESERVE. YOU KNOW I WILL CONTINUE TO
DO ALL I CAN. SINCERELY, GERALD L. PARSKY.

3. FOLLOWING IS MESSAGE FOR DEPUTY MINISTER OF COMMERCE
SOLIMAN SOLAIM:

4. DEAR SOLIMAN: I CANNOT TELL YOU HOW SADDENED WE ALL
ARE AT THE TERRIBLE NEWS OF YOUR KING'S UNTIMELY DEATH.
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WE GRIEVE WITH YOU IN YOUR BEREAVEMENT. I AM SURE YOU

SHARE MY CONVICTION THAT WE SHOULD CONTINUE TO BE GUIDED

BY THE INSPIRATION HIS MAJESTY PROVIDED US IN THE EFFORTS
WE ARE ENGAGED IN FOR OUR TWO COUNTRIES.PLEASEACCEPT
OUR DEEPEST CONDOLENCES. SINCERELY, GERALD L. PARSKY. INGERSOLL

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